

**GENERAL NOTES:**

1. SCOPE: WORK SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED ACCORDING TO THESE WORKING DRAWINGS AND CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS AS AERED UPON BETWEEN VA AND CONTRACTOR. THE WORD "CONTRACTOR" REFERS TO THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR, "SUBCONTRACTOR" REFERS TO ONE HAVING DIRECT CONTACT WITH THE CONTRACTOR, THE WORD VA COR AND RESIDENT ENGINEER ARE INTERCHANGEABLE IN THESE PLANS AND THE CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS
2. CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES:
  - A. CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTORS SHALL VISIT THE JOB SITE BEFORE THEIR BID IS SUBMITTED TO FAMILIARIZE THEMSELVES WITH EXISTING CONDITIONS.
  - B. CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTORS SHALL READ AND UNDERSTAND THE PROVIDED CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS BEFORE COMMENCING ANY WORK.
  - C. CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTORS SHALL READ THE PLANS THOROUGHLY AND FAMILIARIZE THEMSELVES WITH THE ENTIRE SCOPE OF THE PROJECT BEFORE COMMENCING ANY WORK. IF CONTRACTOR FINDS ANY DISCREPANCIES, HE/SHE SHALL NOTIFY THE ENGINEER OF RECORD AND VA COR IN A TIMELY MANNER AS SPECIFIED IN THE CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS
  - D. ALL WORK DONE SHALL COMPLY WITH THE CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS, NO DRAWINGS, DETAILS, NOTES ETC., SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO ALLOW FOR A VIOLATION OF THE LOCAL BUILDING CODE, STATE BUILDING CODE AND OTHER APPLICABLE CODES AND GOOD CONSTRUCTION PRACTICES.
  - E. CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS, CONSTRUCTION METHODS, MATERIALS, SIZE OF MEMBERS, ETC., PRIOR TO ON-SITE DELIVERY

3. CONTRACTOR'S SUPERVISION. THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE PROPER SUPERVISION OF THE JOB DURING CONSTRUCTION. A COMPETENT SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE SELECTED BY THE CONTRACTOR AND SHALL BE IN CHARGE OF THE JOB UNTIL ITS COMPLETION. THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL REMAIN ON THE JOB WHEN WORK IS IN PROGRESS TO INSURE THAT ALL WORK IS BEING DONE PROPERLY AND ACCORDING TO PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS. IT SHALL BE THE SUPERINTENDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO MEET WITH EACH TRADE OR SUB-CONTRACTOR BEFORE HIS/HER WORK IS TO BEGIN AND EXPLAIN THE JOB TO BE DONE. HE/SHE SHALL THEN SEE THAT THE WORK IS DONE ACCORDING TO PLANS. BEFORE ANY WORK PROCEEDS INTO ANOTHER PHASE, THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL INSPECT THE WORK TO SEE THAT IT IS READY FOR THE NEXT PHASE.
4. PARTS AND DETAILS. PLANS ARE INTENDED TO SHOW DETAILS FOR A COMPLETE PROJECT. PARTS AND DETAILS NOT FULLY SHOWN SHALL BE DETAILED AND EXECUTED ACCORDING TO STANDARD FIRST CLASS PRACTICE AND IN SIMILAR MANNER AND INTENT OF DETAILS WHICH ARE SHOWN. IF THE CONTRACTOR FINDS DETAILS WHICH IN HIS/HER OPINION ARE UNSOUND OR NOT STANDARD, IT IS HIS/HER DUTY TO NOTIFY THE ENGINEER OF RECORD THROUGH THE VA COR. IF HE/SHE PERFORMS THE WORK AS DETAILED WITHOUT SAID NOTIFICATION, THEN IT SHALL BE ASSUMED THAT HE/SHE DOES NOT OBJECT TO DETAIL. REFER TO RELATED NOTE NO. 7 BELOW FOR ERRORS AND OMISSIONS.
5. DIMENSIONS. FIGURED DIMENSIONS SHALL BE FOLLOWED IN PREFERENCE TO SMALL SCALE DIMENSIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS IN THE FIELD BEFORE ANY WORK IS CONSTRUCTED AND /OR FABRICATED. DETAILED CLARIFICATION DRAWINGS FURNISHED DURING CONSTRUCTION OR APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER ARE TO BE CONSIDERED EXPLANATORY AND NOT AS MODIFICATIONS OF THESE PLANS AND SHALL BE CALLED CLARIFICATION DRAWINGS. ALL NOTES, FIGURES AND DETAIL DRAWINGS SHALL BE FOLLOWED AND SCALED DIMENSIONS.
6. ALL WRITTEN DIMENSIONS SHALL TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER SCALED DIMENSIONS.
7. ERRORS AND OMISSIONS. IF ANY ERRORS OR OMISSIONS APPEAR IN THESE DRAWINGS, OR OTHER CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR AND SUB-CONTRACTORS AFFECTED SHALL IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY THE DESIGNER IN WRITING OF SUCH ERROR OR OMISSION. IN SUCH CASE, THE CONTRACTOR WILL STOP WORK UNTIL A SOLUTION IS PROVIDED BY THE ENGINEER OF RECORD.
8. ENGINEER'S INSPECTION: THE ENGINEER'S INSPECTION IS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSURING THAT PLANS ARE BEING FOLLOWED AND WHILE THE ENGINEER WILL GIVE ASSISTANCE IN INTERPRETING THE PLANS, IT DOES NOT RELIEVE THE CONTRACTOR OR ANY SUBCONTRACTORS FROM ANY RESPONSIBILITY FOR WORK WHICH MAY PROVE FAULTY.

## CONSTRUCTION SIGNAGE NOTES

1. ALL SIGNALE AND PROTRUDING OBJECTS INTO WALKWAYS SHALL COMPLY WITH UFS SECTION 4.4 AND THE CALIFORNIA BUILDING CODE 2010 SECTION 11338.8.6, AND THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE MORE STRICT.
2. CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE BARRICADES AND RE-ROUTE SIGNALE FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL. PROVIDE SIGNALE TO REROUTE PEDESTRIAN TRAFFIC TO A DIFFERENT HOSPITAL ENTRANCE
3. CONTRACTOR TO COORDINATE WITH PEDESTRIAN REROUTING WITH VA COR
4. FURNISHING AND INSTALLATION OF ALL TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL AND WORK AREA PROTECTION DEVICES SHALL BE APPROVED BY THE VA COR PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK. THIS WORK SHALL BE DONE AT CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.
5. ALL CLOSURES SHALL BE COORDINATED WITH THE VA COR
6. THERE MAY BE ONGOING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY WITHIN THE VICINITY OF THE WORK AREA. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT MOVE, MODIFY, OR RELOCATE ANY ITEM ASSOCIATED WITH THESE ACTIVITIES WITHOUT PRIOR APPROVAL OF AND COORDINATION WITH THE VA COR
7. ALL CONSTRUCTION VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT SHALL BE PROPERLY IDENTIFIED. CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT SHALL NOT BE STORED OUTSIDE THE WORK AREA WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE VA COR
8. PERFORM WORK IN SUCH A MANNER AND SEQUENCE AS TO INTERFERE AS LITTLE AS POSSIBLE WITH THE PASSAGE OF VEHICLES, PEDESTRIANS AND OTHER KINDS OF PUBLIC TRAFFIC
9. ALL TEMPORARY MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC AND WORK AREA PROTECTION SIGN SUPPORTS AND MOUNTINGS SHALL BE SO CONSTRUCTED AS TO HOLD THE SIGNS IN THEIR PROPER POSITION AND TO RESIST SWAYING BY THE WIND. DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION OF ALL SUPPORT STRUCTURES SHALL BE AS PER VA SPECIFICATIONS.
10. TEMPORARY SIGNS:
  - a) TEMPORARY SIGNS SHALL BE TYPE I PLYWOOD OR ALUMINUM PANEL, CONFORMING TO CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS
  - b) ALL TEMPORARY SIGNS SHALL BE MOUNTED FACING THE DIRECTION OF TRAFFIC THEY INTEND TO SERVE
  - c) REFLECTORIZED SHEETING SHALL BE FLUORESCENT ORANGE
11. ANY EXISTING SIGNS WHICH COULD CAUSE CONFUSION TO GENERAL PUBLIC DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE COVERED WITH AN OPAQUE MATERIAL, SUCH AS CANVAS, AND COVERS SHALL BE REMOVED WHEN THE CONFLICT IS ABATED. ALL CONSTRUCTION SIGNS SHALL BE COVERED WITH OPAQUE MATERIAL OR REMOVED WHEN THE WORK THEY ARE INTENDED FOR IS NOT IN PROGRESS
12. ENSURE THAT PEDESTRIAN SIDEWALKS REMAIN UNOBSTRUCTED AND IN OPERATION THROUGH ALL AREAS OF THE CONSTRUCTION SITE. IF IN CONFLICT WITH THE PROGRESS OF AREAS OF THE CONSTRUCTION, RELOCATE PEDESTRIAN SIDEWALK TO AN INTERIM LOCATION AS APPROVED BY THE VA COR
13. ALL EXISTING ITEMS SUCH AS PAVEMENT MARKINGS, CURBS, SIGNALS AND SIGNS DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESTORED TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE VA COR AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO THE VA

- INSPECTIONS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL OBTAIN ALL REQUIRED INSPECTIONS FOR HIS/HER WORK AND GIVE THE VA TIMELY NOTICE OF HIS/HER INTENT TO HAVE AN INSPECTION AS SPECIFIED IN THE CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS.
10. CONTRACTOR SHALL IMPLEMENT THE FOLLOWING BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES (BMP's) FROM CALIFORNIA STORMWATER QUALITY ASSOCIATION (COSAQ) WHEN CONDUCTING ANY WORK BUT NOT LIMITED TO:
- A - EROSION CONTROL
  - B - SEDIMENT CONTROL
  - C - WIND EROSION CONTROL
  - D - TRACKING CONTROL
  - E - NON-STORM WATER MANAGEMENT
  - F - WASTE MANAGEMENT AND MATERIAL POLLUTION CONTROL
- THE VA COR HAS THE RIGHT TO ENFORCE ANY OF THIS BMP'S AT NO EXTRA COST TO THE VA
11. USE OF THE PREMISES: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONFINE HIS/HER WORKMEN, AND THE PARKING OF WORKMEN'S VEHICLES TO LIMITS INDICATED BY LWM, ORDINANCE, PERMITS AND/OR DIRECTION OF THE VA COR.
12. JOB CONDITIONS:
- A. DUST CONTROL: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL USE MEANS NECESSARY TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF DUST DURING PERFORMANCE OF ON-SITE WORK, THOROUGHLY MOISTEN ALL EXTERIOR SURFACES AS REQUIRED TO PREVENT DUST FROM BEING A NUISANCE TO THE PUBLIC OR NEIGHBORS.
  - B. PROTECTION: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL USE ALL MEANS NECESSARY TO PROTECT EXISTING OBJECTS TO REMAIN AND, IN THE EVENT OF DAMAGE, IMMEDIATELY MAKE ALL REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENT NECESSARY TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE VA COR AND AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO THE VA.
13. PREPARATION:
- A. NOTIFICATION: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INFORM THE VA OF THE START DATE OF SITE WORK. THE DATE SHALL BE ACCEPTABLE TO ALL PARTIES.
  - B. SITE INSPECTION:
    - 1. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL LOCATE ALL EXISTING UTILITY LINES AND EQUIPMENT DETERMINE WHICH ARE TO BE REMOVED, REPAIR, AND WHICH ARE TO REMAIN AS WELL AS ALL REQUIREMENTS FOR DISCONNECTION OR CAPPING.
    - 2. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL, PRIOR TO ANY DEMOLITION, CAREFULLY INSPECT THE ENTIRE SITE AND ALL ELEMENTS DESIGNATED TO BE REMOVED AND/OR PRESERVED.
  - C. CLARIFICATION:
    - 1. THE DRAWINGS DO NOT PURPORT TO SHOW ALL OBJECTS EXISTING ON THE JOB.
    - 2. BEFORE COMMENCING ANY DEMOLITION, VERIFY ALL OBJECTS TO BE REMOVED AND ALL OBJECTS TO BE PRESERVED.
  - D. PROTECTIVE WORK: DEMOLITION SHALL NOT PROCEED UNTIL SUCH PROTECTIVE WORKS ARE PLACED AS ARE REQUIRED TO PROTECT THE PROPERTY AND PERSONNEL FROM THE HAZARDS OF THE WORK.
  - E. DAMAGE TO EXISTING WORK: EXISTING WORK DAMAGED IN THE EXECUTION OF THIS WORK SHALL BE REPAIRED OR RESTORED TO THE ORIGINAL CONDITION AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.
  - F. DISCONNECTION OF UTILITIES: BEFORE STARTING JOB OPERATIONS, DISCONNECT OR ARRANGE FOR THE DISCONNECTION OF ALL UTILITIES TO BE REMOVED. ALL SUCH WORK SHALL BE PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE UTILITY COMPANY OR AGENCY INVOLVED AND WITH THE VA.
  - G. PROTECTION OF UTILITIES: PRESERVE IN OPERATING CONDITION ALL ACTIVE UTILITIES TO REMAIN.
  - H. CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE WITH THE OFFICE OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION, DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION. (SEE NOTE ON SHEET CD10)
14. THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE AND VERIFY WITH ALL SUBCONTRACTORS, THE SIZE AND LOCATION OF ALL PIPING, DUCTWORK, TRENCHES, SLEEVES, SPECIAL BOLTING FOR EQUIPMENT COUNTDOWNS, ETC.

15. ALL SEWER MANHOLES, VALVES AND UTILITY BOXES AFFECTED BY THIS PROJECT SHALL BE ADJUSTED TO GRADE AS NECESSARY AND INCLUDED IN THIS WORK.
16. CONTRACTOR SHALL PAY FOR ALL REQUIRED COMPACTION TESTS.
17. TWO WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO COMMENCING EXCAVATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY UNDERGROUND SERVICE ALERT (USA) CALL TOLL FREE AT 811.
18. CONTRACTOR SHALL OBTAIN AND BEAR THE COST OF A STREET ENCROACHMENT PERMIT PRIOR TO COMMENCING ANY WORK WITHIN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY. SAID ENCROACHMENT PERMIT MAY REQUIRE THE CONTRACTOR TO OBTAIN A BOND TO GUARANTEE THE IMPROVEMENTS AND TO ADHERE TO STRICT TIME SCHEDULES FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE WORK.
19. CONTRACTOR SHALL DEMOLISH EXISTING BUILDING FOUNDATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS.
20. CONTRACTOR TO BACKFILL AND RE-COMPACT OPEN TRENCHES WHERE MANHOLES ARE REMOVED AND AT ANY OTHER AREA WHERE GROUND IS DISTURBED WHEN REMOVING ANY UTILITIES.
21. CONTRACTOR SHALL REMOVE ALL PIPE, FITTINGS, BOXES, COVERS, ETC., ASSOCIATED W/ WORKING SHOWN TO BE REMOVED.
22. CONTRACTOR SHALL SUBMIT TO ENGINEER OF RECORD A COMPLETE AND DETAILED SET OF WORKING AS-BUILTS OF ALL UNDERGROUND IMPROVEMENTS, SUCH AS-BUILTS SHALL SHOW THE DEPTH AND ALIGNMENT OF UTILITIES, VALVE AND MANHOLE LOCATIONS, AND SEWER, WATER AND STORM DRAIN LATERAL LOCATIONS. THE MEASUREMENTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE OF THE WORK BY THE VA.
23. EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES ARE SHOWN BASED ON THE BEST AVAILABLE INFORMATION. CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY EXISTING LOCATION PRIOR TO BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS IN THE VICINITY OF UNDERGROUND UTILITIES. SHOULD THERE BE ANY DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE SHOWN LOCATION AND THE ACTUAL LOCATION, CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE VA COR AND ENGINEER OF RECORD IMMEDIATELY.
24. THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHOWN HAVE BEEN LOCATED FROM FIELD SURVEY INFORMATION AND EXISTING RECORDS OF UTILITY COMPANIES. THE VA AND THE DESIGN PROFESSIONAL MAKE NO GUANTEES THAT THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHOWN COMPRISE ALL SUCH UTILITIES IN THE AREA, EITHER IN SERVICE OR ABANDONED. NEITHER THE VA NOR THE DESIGN PROFESSIONAL WARRANT THAT THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHOWN ARE IN THE EXACT LOCATION INDICATED. ALTHOUGH THE VA AND THE DESIGN PROFESSIONAL CERTIFY THAT THEY ARE LOCATED AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE FOR INFORMATION AVAILABLE, NEITHER THE VA NOR THE DESIGN PROFESSIONAL HAVE PHYSICALLY LOCATED THE UNDERGROUND UTILITIES. THE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTOR IS ADVISED TO UTILIZE HAND-DIGGING METHODS TO VERIFY THE EXISTENCE AND LOCATIONS OF EXISTING UTILITIES.
25. COMPACTION: UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED HEREIN, THE TERMS "COMPACTION" OR "COMPACTED", WHENEVER USED OR IMPLIED, SHALL BE INTERPRETED AS THE SPECIFIED SOIL COMPACTION, A PERCENTAGE OF THE MAXIMUM DENSITY OBTAINABLE BY A.S.T.M. TEST METHOD D1557, AND SHALL BE 90% UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE ON THE PLANS. SPECIFICATIONS OR GEOTECHNICAL REPORT.
26. MOISTEN SOILS TO NEAR THE OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT CONSISTENT WITH EFFECTIVE COMPACTION AND SOIL STABILITY.
27. FILL - EARTH MATERIALS OBTAINED ON SITE ARE ACCEPTABLE FOR USE AS FILL PROVIDED THAT ALL GRASSES, WEEDS, AND OTHER DETRIMENTOUS DEBRIS ARE FIRST REMOVED. FILL SHALL BE PLACED IN UNIFORM LAYERS NOT EXCEEDING 18" INCHES [203mm] IN LOOSE THICKNESS. MOISTURE CONDITIONED TO WITHIN TWO (2) PERCENT OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT, AND COMPACTED TO LEVELS INDICATED. AND MOISTURE CONDITIONED TO WITHIN TWO (2) PERCENT OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM D 1557-02.
28. IMPORTED FILL - IF IT BECOMES NECESSARY TO IMPORT MATERIALS FROM OFF-SITE TO COMPLETE SITE GRADING, IMPORTED MATERIAL SHALL BE IN COMPLIANCE WITH ASTM D2950 SOL CLASSIFICATION GROUPS (G), (GF), (GM), (SV), (SW), (SC), AND (ML). OR ANS COMBINATION OF THESE GROUPS. FILL OF OTHER TYPES, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SAND, SILT, CLAY, OR ANY OTHER TYPE OF FILL, SHALL BE LARGER THAN 3" IN SIZE IN ANY DIMENSION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROVIDING PROPERLY SORTED FILL FROM A QUALIFIED SOURCE. FILL SHALL BE PLACED IN UNIFORM LAYERS NOT EXCEEDING 18" INCHES [203mm] IN LOOSE THICKNESS. MOISTURE CONDITIONED TO WITHIN TWO (2) PERCENT OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT, AND COMPACTED TO LEVELS INDICATED. AND MOISTURE CONDITIONED TO WITHIN TWO (2) PERCENT OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM D 1557-02.
29. THE DESIGN, ADOUCY AND SAFETY OF ERECTION, BRACING, SHORING, TEMPORARY SUPPORTS, ETC., IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR, AND HAS NOT BEEN CONSIDERED BY THE ENGINEER.
30. CLEANING UP- THE CONTRACTOR AND HIS/HER EMPLOYEES SHALL AT ALL TIMES KEEP THE PREMISES FREE OF ACCUMULATION OF WASTE HIS/HER RUBBER, AND SHALL LEAVE HIS/HER WORK IN BROOK CLEAN CONDITION. THE SITE AND BUILDING AREA SHALL BE KEPT CLEAN AND PICKED UP OF DEBRIS AND STRAPS AT ALL TIMES DURING CONSTRUCTION, PARTICULARLY AT THE END OF EACH WORK WEEK.
31. THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN TEMPORARY SANITARY FACILITY ENCLOSURES, LOCATE AS DIRECTED BY THE VA AND CONTRACT SPECIFICATIONS. NEW FACILITIES SHALL NOT BE USED DURING CONSTRUCTION.
32. DURING SITE CONSTRUCTION WORK, ANY PUBLIC STREETS FRONTING THE PROJECT SHALL BE KEPT CLEAR OF ANY CONSTRUCTION OR LANDSCAPING DEBRIS AND SHALL NOT BE USED AS A STORAGE AREA FOR EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS OR OTHER ITEMS. CONTRACTOR SHALL RESTORE, IN-KIND, ALL IMPROVEMENTS DISTURBED BY CONSTRUCTION.
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- ANY COMBINATION OF THESE GROUPS; FREE OF ROCK OR GRAVEL LARGER THAN 75 MM (3 INCHES) IN ANY DIMENSION, DEBRIS, WASTE, FROZEN MATERIALS, VEGETATION AND OTHER DESTRUCTIVE MATTER. MATERIAL APPROVED FROM ON SITE OR OFF SITE.

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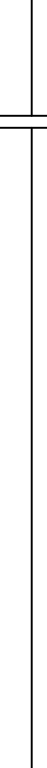

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